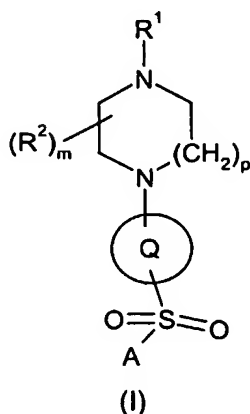


**Claims:**

1. A compound of formula (I) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof:



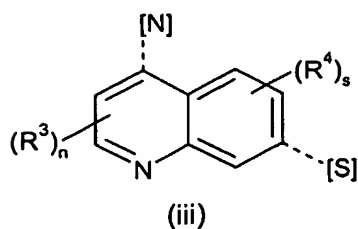
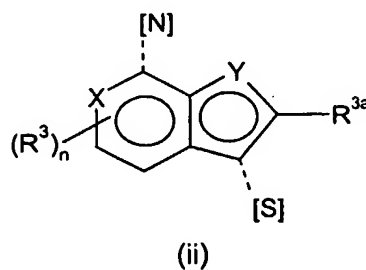
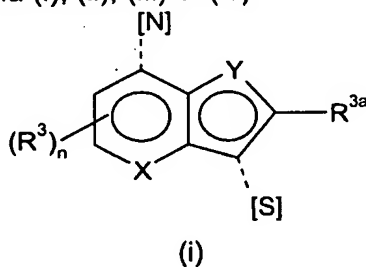
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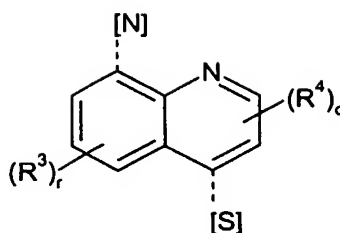
$R^1$  and  $R^2$  independently represent hydrogen or  $C_{1-6}$  alkyl or  $R^1$  is linked to  $R^2$  to form a group  $(CH_2)_2$ ,  $(CH_2)_3$  or  $(CH_2)_4$ ;

$p$  represents 1 or 2;

$m$  represents an integer from 1 to 4, when  $m$  is an integer greater than 1, two  $R^2$  groups may instead be linked to form a group  $CH_2$ ,  $(CH_2)_2$  or  $(CH_2)_3$ ;

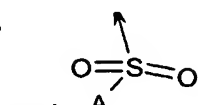
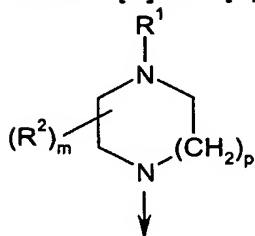
$Q$  represents a group of formula (i), (ii), (iii) or (iv):





(iv)

wherein [N] and [S] represent the attachment points for the groups



and respectively;

one of X and Y represents  $-N=$  and the other represents  $-N(R^5)-$ ;

$R^3$  and  $R^4$  independently represent hydrogen, halogen, cyano,  $-CF_3$ ,  $-OCF_3$ ,  $C_{1-6}$  alkyl,  $C_{1-6}$  alkoxy,  $C_{1-6}$  alkanoyl or a group  $-CONR^6R^7$ ;

$R^{3a}$  and  $R^5$  independently represent hydrogen or  $C_{1-6}$  alkyl;

$R^6$  and  $R^7$  independently represent hydrogen or  $C_{1-6}$  alkyl or together may be fused to form a 5- to 7- membered aromatic or non-aromatic heterocyclic ring optionally interrupted by an O or S atom;

n and q independently represent 1 or 2;

r and s independently represent an integer from 1 to 3;

A represents a group  $-Ar^1$  or  $-Ar^2Ar^3$ ;

$Ar^1$ ,  $Ar^2$  and  $Ar^3$  independently represent an aryl group or a heteroaryl group, both of which may be optionally substituted by one or more (eg. 1, 2 or 3) substituents which may be the same or different, and which are selected from the group consisting of halogen, hydroxy, cyano, nitro, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethoxy,  $C_{1-6}$  alkyl,

trifluoromethanesulfonyloxy, pentafluoroethyl,  $C_{1-6}$  alkoxy, aryl $C_{1-6}$  alkoxy,  $C_{1-6}$  alkylthio,  $C_{1-6}$  alkoxy $C_{1-6}$  alkyl,  $C_{3-7}$  cycloalkyl $C_{1-6}$  alkoxy,  $C_{1-6}$  alkanoyl,  $C_{1-6}$  alkoxycarbonyl,  $C_{1-6}$  alkylsulfonyl,  $C_{1-6}$  alkylsulfinyl,  $C_{1-6}$  alkylsulfonyloxy,  $C_{1-6}$  alkylsulfonyl $C_{1-6}$  alkyl, arylsulfonyl, arylsulfonyloxy, arylsulfonyl $C_{1-6}$  alkyl,  $C_{1-6}$  alkylsulfonamido,  $C_{1-6}$  alkylamido,  $C_{1-6}$  alkylsulfonamido $C_{1-6}$  alkyl,  $C_{1-6}$  alkylamido $C_{1-6}$  alkyl, arylsulfonamido,

arylcarboxamido, arylsulfonamido $C_{1-6}$  alkyl, arylcarboxamido $C_{1-6}$  alkyl, aroyl, aroyl $C_{1-6}$  alkyl, aryl $C_{1-6}$  alkanoyl, or a group  $CONR^8R^9$  or  $SO_2NR^8R^9$ , wherein  $R^8$  and  $R^9$  independently represent hydrogen or  $C_{1-6}$  alkyl or together may be fused to form a 5- to 7- membered aromatic or non-aromatic heterocyclic ring optionally interrupted by an O or S atom;

or solvates thereof.

2. A compound according to claim 1 which is a compound of formula E1-E16 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.
3. A compound according to claim 1 or claim 2 for use in therapy.
- 5 4. A compound according to claim 1 or claim 2 for use in the treatment of depression, anxiety, obesity and cognitive memory disorders.
- 10 5. A pharmaceutical composition which comprises a compound according to claim 1 or claim 2 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier or excipient.